

**(Q53) What is your marital status?**

	%	95% CI*	
Married	69.0	63.9	73.7
Living with partner, not married	18.0	14.2	22.7
Single, never married	7.4	5.2	10.4
Divorced, separated or widowed	5.0	3.0	8.3
Other	0.5	0.2	1.5

**(Q54) What is the highest level of education you have completed?**

	%	95% CI*	
8 <sup>th</sup> grade or less	0.2	0.0	0.8
Some high school	6.4	4.4	9.2
High school graduate or GED	22.6	18.4	27.4
Some college	27.6	22.8	32.9
Vocational or technical certification	9.1	6.1	13.3
College graduate or higher	34.2	29.3	39.4

**(Q60) During the past 3 months, did you, your 3-year-old child, or other household members ever have to cut the size of meals or skip meals because there wasn't enough food in your home?**

	%	95% CI*	
Yes	7.9	5.6	11.0
No	92.1	89.0	94.4

**(Q68) During the past 3 months, did you use any of the following services to feed you, your 3-year-old child, or other household members?**

	% yes	95% CI*	
WIC	35.5	30.6	40.9
Food Stamps	25.3	20.8	30.3
Free or reduced price school lunch program	15.6	12.0	20.2
Food Bank or Food Pantry	7.3	4.7	11.1
Any of the above	45.9	40.6	51.4

**What is CUBS?**

CUBS stands for the Childhood Understanding Behaviors Survey and is a three-year follow-up to the Alaska Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System (PRAMS). PRAMS sends a survey to approximately one of every six mothers of newborns in Alaska. CUBS attempts follow-up with all mothers living in Alaska who completed PRAMS and whose infant was living with them at that time. The purpose of CUBS is to collect information about health, behaviors, and experiences of young children and families in Alaska.

Among 1014 mothers who were sent the CUBS survey in 2012, 51% responded (515 women). Their answers were weighted to represent all mothers of 3-year-old children born in Alaska in 2009. The average child age at the time mothers responded was 38 months (range 37-42 months). 1.7% of mothers said their 3-year-old child was not living with them at the time.

For more information about CUBS, visit <http://dhss.alaska.gov/dph/wcfh/Pages/mchepi/cubs>.

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\*95% Confidence Interval

**(Q69) During the past 12 months, what was your yearly total household income before taxes?**

Include your income, your husband's or partner's income, and any other income you may have received.

	%	95% CI*	
Less than \$10,000	<b>11.4</b>	8.2	15.5
\$10,000 - \$14,999	<b>7.6</b>	5.0	11.5
\$15,000 - \$19,999	<b>2.6</b>	1.5	4.4
\$20,000 - \$24,999	<b>4.8</b>	3.0	7.5
\$25,000 - \$34,999	<b>10.9</b>	7.8	15.1
\$35,000 - \$49,999	<b>10.3</b>	7.2	14.5
\$50,000 - \$74,999	<b>17.2</b>	13.1	22.3
\$75,000 or more	<b>35.3</b>	30.3	40.6

**(Q70) During the past 12 months, how many people, including yourself, depended on this income?**

	%	95% CI*	
0-1 People	<b>1.5</b>	0.6	3.9
2	<b>7.2</b>	4.7	11.0
3	<b>17.4</b>	13.8	21.7
4	<b>32.8</b>	27.9	38.2
5	<b>20.8</b>	16.5	25.9
6	<b>13.9</b>	10.2	18.5
>6	<b>6.3</b>	4.3	9.3

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